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25X1A MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Amendment No. 8, Contract No. A-101, The Ramo-Wooldridge (AQUATONE) Corporation - Project

- 1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for approval of the Director of Central Intelligence. Such recommendation is set forth is Paragraph 7.
- 2. Basic Contract No. A-101, and Amendments Numbers 1-7 inclusive, provide for R&D on Systems 1, 2, and 3 and associated equipments, production of System 1 and associated equipments, limited production of Systems 2 and 3 and associated equipments, and for a study phase only on System 4. In addition certain training of Government personnel is provided for, as well as certain test and evaluation costs, modification costs and material costs.
- 3. Amendment No. 8 to Contract No. A-101 substitutes a new schedule in the contract which restates the work previously contracted for and adds new work. The pertinent points in the revised schedule are as follows:
  - a. System 1: Minor adjustments made.
- b. System 2: Production requirements finalized for AQUATONE. Communications Division 25X1A requirements set forth. Additional requirements will be forthcoming in FY-57.
  - c. System 3: Production requirements finalized for AQUATONE.

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d. System 4: R&D phase initiated.

Partial production requirements set forth.

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Ground evaluation equipment - Systems 1 and 3: Production requirements finalized.

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- f. Ground evaluation equipment System 4: R&D phase on duping and analysis equipment initiated. Ampex equipment for later production requirement provided for. Procurement of long lead time items for subsequent production provided for.
- g. Training of Communications Division Personnel: No change in basic costs.
- h. Support Requirements FAK, Depot Spares, SLOE:
  - (1) System 1 Minor adjustments made.
  - (2) System 2 Contractor's recommendations requested.
  - (3) System 3 Contractor's recommendations requested.
  - (4) System 4 Contractor's recommendations requested.
- i. Support Requirements Test Sites: No change.
- j. Equipment Redesign, Modification, Retrofit and Repairs: Provision made for these services. Contractor requested to submit firm estimates as these services are required.
- k. Other Services: Provision made for consultants, technical representatives and overseas personnel. Contractor requested to submit firm estimates.
- 1. Materiel requirements set forth.

| including additional R&D costs on Systems 2 and 3. Spare parts (30 day and 180 day) and the Special List of Equipment for Systems 2, 3 and 4 must be procured after recommendations from the Contractor are received and evaluated. Production of ground evaluation equipment for System 4 must be initiated when Contractor's proposal is received and requirements are established. Additional production units of System 4 must be contracted for in the event more than six units are required. Project and Communications Division visualize additional units of |
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| System 2 and System 3 equipments in Fiscal Year 1957. Equipment modification and repair and personnel services of Contractor's representatives will also require additional funds.  |
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| 7. Approval of the DCI of signature of Amendment No. 8 by the authorized Project Contracting Officer is recommended. | 25X1A   |
| RICHARD M. BISSELL, JR.  Project Director  |         |
| CONCURRENCES:  |         |
| 25X1A General Counsel  |         |
| 25X1A  Project Comptroller  25X1A  |         |
| Recommendation of Paragraph 7 ap   | proved: |
| ALLEN W. DULLES Director of Central Intelligen   | nos     |
| Enclosures: Appendix I - IV  |         |

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